

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
P24,376-A USA

In Re Application Of: Michael Seveso, Daniel J. O'Mahony and David T. Page

Application No.
09/743,173

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Examiner
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Invention:

Enhanced Delivery of Nucleic Acid-Based Drugs



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of August 8, 2005 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: **September 8, 2005** until: **October 8, 2005**
Date Date

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is \$60 and is to be paid as follows:

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.

☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-5425**

☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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